feasible and alteration of the project species present was not economically subject property with federally listed rejected because not developing the identified by the Service. within Houston toad habitat, as land acquisition and management to the National Fish and Wildlife the Houston Toad by donating $1,500.00 compensate for this incidental take of an unquantifiable amount of indirect impact. The applicant proposes to incidental take of the Houston toad (Bufo houstonensis) During Construction of One Single Family Residence on 0.5 Acres of Each of 22 Lots in the Pine Oak Estates Subdivision, Bastrop County, Texas SUMMARY: John Schuelke (Applicant) has applied to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) for an incidental take permit pursuant to Section 10(a) of the Endangered Species Act (ESA). The Applicant has been assigned permit number TE-023822-0. The requested permit, which is for a period of 5 years, would authorize the incidental take of the endangered Houston toad (Bufo houstonensis). The proposed take would occur as a result of the construction and occupation of one single family residence each on Lots 5–8, 10–15, 22–24, 25A, 26A, 27A&B, 28A&B, 29A&B, 30A in the Pine Oak Estates Subdivision, Bastrop County, Texas. The Service has prepared the Environmental Assessment/Habitat Conservation Plan (EA/HCP) for the incidental take application. A determination of jeopardy to the species or a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) will be made before 30 days from the date of publication of this notice. This notice is provided pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Act and National Environmental Policy Act regulations (40 CFR 1506.6). DATES: Written comments on the application should be received on or before May 8, 2000. ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to review the application and EA/HCP should be submitted to the Field Supervisor, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Austin, Texas at the above address. Please refer to permit number TE-023822-0 when submitting comments. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Tannika Engelhard, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service office, Austin, Texas.